

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: THRONICKE, Sandro Gerd

TC/AU: 3635

Serial No. 10/595,695

Examiner: WENDELL, Mark R.

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Dkt No: SCH002-US

For: MULTI-LAYER DECOUPLING, SEALING AND DRAINAGE SYSTEM

To: Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Customer No:

24222

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**OFFICE ACTION RESPONSE**  
**AMENDMENT**

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office's Non-Final Office Action dated 12/01/2008, the Applicant has timely enclosed herein: 15 pages Office Action Response. Payment is included for Extension to file within the 3 month, and Terminal Disclaimer. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

DEPOSIT ACCOUNT 500323 AUTHORIZATION - All necessary fees relating to the attached submittal, if any, are intended to be included. However, the Office is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the fees relating to the submittal to deposit account 500323, registered to Vernon C. Maine PLLC, contact telephone no. 603-886-6100.